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**BROWN BAG COMIC-CON FILM SCREENINGS AT SAN DIEGO
PUBLIC LIBRARY: *THE OUTER LIMITS***

“Sit Quietly and We Will Control All that You See and Hear”

SAN DIEGO – The San Diego Public Library will host free Comic-Con week screenings of one hour episodes from the classic anthology series *THE OUTER LIMITS* Tuesday, July 19 through Friday, July 22, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. in the 3rd floor auditorium of the Central Library, located at 820 E Street in downtown San Diego. These events offer those who can’t attend the sold-out Comic Con an alternative opportunity for communal participation. Costumes are welcome!

“There is nothing wrong with your television set. For the next hour, sit quietly and we will control all that you see and hear,” begins the narration of every episode of the moody television series that aired from 1963 to 1965. Penned by some of the genre’s most heralded writers, *The Outer Limits* often presented “the human spirit in confrontation with dark existential forces from within and without,” even revered horror-writer Stephen King called it “the best program of its type ever to run on network TV.”

The four episodes being shown at 1:30 p.m. are:

Tuesday, July 19 - *The Galaxy Being* - An engineer interacts with an electromagnetic field that may or may not be an intelligent being...and possibly the physical manifestation of God. Originally broadcast two years *before* the discovery of cosmic microwaves.

Wednesday, July 20 - *The Sixth Finger* - A renegade scientist’s discovery affects the speed of evolutionary mutation.

Thursday, July 21 - *The Man Who Was Never Born* - An astronaut lands on Earth in 2148 only to find it desolate and barren.

Friday, July 22 - *Demon with a Glass Hand* - A man with only ten days of memories and a speaking, cyborg hand sets out to find his purpose.

Learn about other events at the San Diego Public Library’s Central Library and 35 branches, find links to numerous additional resources, or search for materials in the Library’s catalog online at www.sandiegolibrary.org.

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